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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:**

Eggen et al.

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**For:** PROCESS FOR RAPID SOLUTION  
SYNTHESIS OF PEPTIDES

**Examiner:** To be assigned

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

The Notice of Omitted Item(s) in a Nonprovisional Application dated September 9, 2004 has been received and reviewed. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Abstract** appear on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** appear on page 3 of this paper.